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**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

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**SUSCEPTIBILITY GENE FOR MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION, STROKE, PAOD AND METHODS OF TREATMENT**

the specification of which was filed on January 31, 2005 as International Application No. PCT/US2005/003312, and assigned U.S. Application No. 10/587,412.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment, if any, specifically referred to herein.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me that is material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS**

I hereby claim priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(e), of any United States provisional patent application(s) listed below:

☐ no such U.S. provisional applications have been filed.

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Application Number	Date of Filing (dd/mm/yyyy)	Priority Claimed Under 35 USC 119
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60/419,433	17/10/2002	<u>  x  </u> Yes No <u>      </u>

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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jointly, and each of them severally, my attorneys at law/patent agent(s), with full power of substitution, delegation and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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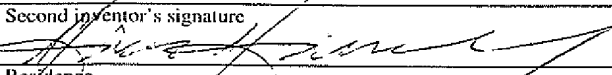
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